

(b) the number of such cases detected during the during the years 1990-91 and 1991-92 respectively; and

(c) whether the existing cases of encroachments and unauthorised constructions are being regularised?

THE MINISTER OF THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (c). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

Alleged Discrepancy in Areas of States

5468. SHRI SHANKARRAO KALE: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the areas of the States and Union Territories calculated by the Surveyor General of India and that by the concerned State Government's Director of Land records, do not tally with each other;

(b) if so, the details thereof and reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Government have ever tried for reconciliation of these figures; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) No such difference

has been brought to the notice of the Government.

(b) to (c). Question do not arise.

Reduction in Oil Import Bill

5469. SHRI GOPI NATH GAJAPATHI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government had a proposal to reduce the oil import bill in 1991-92;

(b) if so the achievements made in that direction so far;

(c) the percentage of reduction made in the oil bill in 199192 than the previous year;

(d) the targets set for 1992-93; and

(e) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI KAMALUDDIN AHMED): (a) to (b).The requirement of import of edible oils is constantly reviewed and imports made as and when required considering local availability, foreign exchange and indigenous production of edible oils. Imports during the Financial Year 1990-91 and 1990-91 are as under:

Financial Year	Qty (Lakh MTs)	CIF Value (Rs. Crores)
1990-91	5.38	349.95
1991-92	1.07	103.51
(Upto 26.3.92) (Prov.)		

(d) and (e). The Government have not yet decided about the import of edible oils including quantity thereof for the year 1992-93.

[*Translation*]

Illegal Construction under the High Tension Electricity Lines

5470. SHRI DAU DAYAL JOSHI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have conducted any survey of such areas in Delhi where houses have been constructed unauthorisedly under 33 K.V. High Tension Electricity lines;

(b) if so, whether the administration had served any notice for removing these houses in Railway colony of Mandawali complex in Eastern Delhi; and

(c) if so, the action being taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) Delhi Electric Supply Undertaking has conducted such a survey.

(b) As reported by Delhi Electric Supply undertaking (DESU) necessary notices for accessibility of the 33 KV overhead line passing over houses in Mandawali Complex have been served. The copies of these notices have been sent to Municipal Corporation of Delhi and Electrical Inspector, Delhi Administration for necessary action.

(c) Action for demolition of these houses is required to be taken by the concerned local authority.

[*English*]

House for Rural Poor

5471. SHRI R. SURENDER REDDY: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the allocation for the Rural Development Department has been slashed;

(b) if so, the details of the new Centrally sponsored programme for construction of house for the rural poor; and

(c) the manner in which these new schemes are likely to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRIG. VENKAT SWAMY): (a) There is no cut in the proposed allocation of funds under Centrally-sponsored rural development programmes for the year 1992-93.

(b) and (c). Government have planned to launch a new Centrally-Sponsored Scheme for Rural Housing from the year 1992-93 for the people living below the poverty line in rural areas for providing 'starter' houses with a covered areas of 20 sq. mts. The unit cost of construction for a new house has been kept at Rs. 10,000 and for upgradation of existing dwellings at Rs. 4,000 per unit for 1992-93 with provisions for escalations in later years. It is proposed to be implemented through the State Governments.

Electrical Items for Kolar Power Project by Sharat Heavy Electricals Limited

5472. SHRI ARJUN CHARAN SETHI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Bharat Electricals Limited has not yet supplied the critical